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SUBJECT: SUDANESE VICE PRESIDENT VISIT TO KUWAIT

1. SUDANESE VICE PRESIDENT/PRIMIN AL-RASHEED AL-TAHER
BAKR SPENT FEB 15-19 IN KUWAIT ON AN OFFICIAL VISIT, BUT DURING
MOST OF THAT TIME HE WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR WHAT THE PRESS CALLED
"EXHAUSTION". BAKR HAD A CHANCE TO CALL ON THE KUWAITI CROWN
PRINCE/PRIMIN HIS FIRST MORNING IN KUWAIT, BUT HE WAS UNDER
MEDICAL CARE SHORTLY LATER AND HE REMAINED HOSPITALIZED UNTIL
FEB 18 (WHILE CERTAIN UNDISCLOSED TESTS WERE PERFORMED). THE
SOLE MEDICAL BULLETIN WAS ISSUED FEB 16 BY THE AMIRI DIWAN; IT
SAID THAT BAKR'S CONDITION WAS "FULLY SATISFACTORY" AND THAT HE WOULD
BE RELEASED AFTER EXAMINATION. THE PRESS LATER REPORTED THAT BAKR
HAD DECIDED TO CUT SHORT A GULF TOUR AND RETURN HOME FEB 19.

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SUDANESE DELEGATION REPORTEDLY
HAD DISCUSSIONS WITH KUWAITI BUSINESSMEN IN THE CONSTRUCTION,
HOTEL, CEMENT AND PIPELINE INDUSTRIES. PRESS COVERAGE OF
THE VISIT EMPHASIZED PRIVATE KUWAITI INVESTMENT IN
SUDANESE DEVELOPMENT AND FOLLOW-UP VISITS.

3. THE ONLY REPORTED POLITICAL ITEM OF DISCUSSION BETWEEN KUWAIT
AND SUDANESE REPRESENTATIVES WAS RED SEA SECURITY. BOTH SIDES
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